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		First Inventor	Heather Gant
		Title	WHEELER BAG CARRIER AND EQUIPMENT BAG
		Express Mail Label No.	EV269331767US

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For: **WHEELED BAG CARRIER AND EQUIPMENT BAG**

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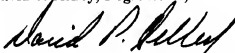
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Utility Patent Application Consisting Of:  
8 Pages of Specification  
4 Pages of Claims (Claims 1-24)  
1 Page of Abstract  
2 Pages of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-8)  
Declaration for Patent Application

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27  
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1001 750	2001 375	Utility Filing Fee	375.00
1002 330	2002 165	Design Filing Fee	
1003 520	2003 260	Plant Filing Fee	
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue Filing Fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional Filing Fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (s)			<b>375.00</b>

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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee From Below	Fee Paid
24	-20** = 4	X 9.00 =	36.00
2	-3** = 3	X 42.00 =	0.00
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1201 84	2201 42	Claims in excess of 20	
1203 280	2203 140	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1204 84	2204 42	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1205 18	2205 9	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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1812 2,520	1812 1,260	Non-English specification	
1804 920*	1804 460*	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1805 1,840*	1805 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within first month	
1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within second month	
1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within third month	
1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1401 320	2401 160	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1402 320	2402 160	Notice of Appeal	
1403 280	2403 140	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1451 1,510	2451 755	Request for oral hearing	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1453 1,300	2453 650	Petition to revive-unavoidable	
1501 1,300	2501 650	Petition to revive-intentional	
1502 470	2502 235	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1503 630	2503 315	Design issue fee	
1460 130	1460 130	Plant issue fee	
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1801 750	2801 375	For each add. invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.128(b))	
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